

GARDNER CALLS WILSON STAND LULLABY POLICY

Asks House if Chantiqua Lectures Are to Be Our Defence.

WANTS INQUIRY, NOT BIG STANDING ARMY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—A reply to that part of President Wilson's message to Congress in which he decried the agitation for increased armaments was made in the House today by Representative Augustus P. Gardner of Massachusetts, author of the resolution proposing the creation of a national securities commission.

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Mr. Gardner paused at one stage in his speech to challenge Representative H. C. Virginia, chairman of the House Committee on Military Affairs, to call to the stand Gen. Wood and Gen. Wetherston, former chiefs of staff of the army.

PASTOR IN AUTO KILLED ON WAY FROM WEDDING

The Rev. Charles Merriam Dead; Dr. and Mrs. David Stewart Hamilton Hurt, Latter Fatally—Motor Car Hit by Train.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Dec. 10.—A large automobile containing two prominent clergymen of Paterson and their wives returning from a wedding at Grace Episcopal Church, New York, shortly after 6 o'clock this evening was struck by a car on the New York, Susquehanna and Western Railroad near the border line between Hackensack and Lodi.

The injured. HAMILTON, THE REV. DAVID STEWART, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Paterson, who lives at 422 Van Hook street in that city, right leg lacerated, bruised and cut generally, but not mortally injured.

Road Poorly Lighted. The collision occurred in Essex street, a fine stretch of road running from Lodi into Hackensack, and at a grade crossing which is admittedly dangerous.

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HEAR KAISER SEEKS PEACE OFFER IN ROME

Italy's King and Wilson Said to Have Begun Paraplers.

VON BUELOW SENT TO PLAN NEGOTIATIONS

Rome, Dec. 10.—An informant that besides striving to avert the intervention of Italy on the side of the Allies in the war Prince von Buelow, who has been appointed provisional Ambassador of Germany here, is entrusted with a special secret mission to prepare for peace.

PEACE RUMORS PERSIST.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—The Berlin correspondent of the Daily News sends the following cable today via London.

KAISER IMPROVING, REPORT BRITISH FLEET SIGHTED OFF JAMAICA

Official Statement Says That Emperor's Catarrh Is Relaxing.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 10.—An official announcement made in Berlin this evening says that the Kaiser's health has improved considerably.

KAISER READY FOR ARMISTICE.

Agrees to Pope's Plan if His Foes Will.

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun. BERLIN, via London, Dec. 10.—Official announcement was made here tonight that Germany has sent an affirmative reply to the suggestion of Pope Benedict that the warring nations agree to a truce for Christmas.

PLAN TO CRUSH CZAR FIRST.

Kaiser Hopes for Speedy Success in East.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—A despatch from Berlin to the Allgemeine Handelsblat says it is believed in the German capital that the general staff intends to pursue the offensive as vigorously as possible in the eastern theatre of war.

ROBERTS POST FOR KITCHENER.

War Minister Becomes Colonel of the Irish Guards.

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London Hears of Submarine Raid Into Harbor of Dover

From One to Three of German Ships Said to Have Been Sunk in Dash Against British War Vessels Lying at Anchor.

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun. LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Daily Mail correspondent at Dover telegraphs: "A flotilla of German submarines, variously estimated at six, seven or eight, made a determined effort to enter the harbor of Dover by the eastern entrance between 6.30 and 7 o'clock this morning.

DEFENCE LACKING.

Germany Said to Have Seen Chance for Surprise.

RUSSIAN LOSSES 593,200.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 10.—The Berlin correspondent of the Allgemeine Handelsblat says that according to information in that city the Russian losses up to November 30 were as follows.

BRITISH BAR 'IRISH WORLD'

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun. LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Government has stopped the circulation of the Irish World of New York in Ireland because of its attitude toward recruiting in Ireland.

NURNBERG, TOG, SUNK IN BATTLE NEAR CAPE HORN

Sturdee Reports Fourth German Ship Destroyed Off Falklands.

DRESDEN CORNERED.

BUENOS AYRES HEARS Last of Kaiser's Squadron Is Said to Be in Strait of Magellan.

RUNNING FIGHT LASTED FIVE HOURS

Light Cruisers Fled When the Flagship Was Sent to Bottom.

SUMMARY OF THE WAR NEWS.

The British Admiralty announces that the German cruiser Nurnberg, which escaped the disaster to Vice-Admiral von Spee's squadron off the Falkland Islands, was pursued and sunk several hours after the engagement.

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TO SUPPORT GARRISON.

Senator Chamberlain Indorses Secretary's Stand.

2 DAYS IN JAIL FOR REPELLING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, chairman of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs, issued a statement today saying that he will support Secretary Garrison's recommendations for an increase of 25,000 men in the military personnel of the army and for the creation of reserve forces.

12 CHILDREN AFIRE AT A TREE.

Disaster at Christmas Festivity Prevented by Cool Heads.

ARCHANGEL STILL ACCESSIBLE.

Ice Breakers Are Keeping the Dwina Open, Petrograd Reports.

NURNBERG FAILS TO ESCAPE BY FLIGHT

Center Is Overtaken by British Ships and Sunk.